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## UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

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LINDA DIMEGLIO,

Plaintiff,

NOTICE OF

**MOTION** 

07 Civ. 3324 (SCR)

VILLAGE OF BRIARCLIFF MANOR,

-against-

Defendant.

SIRS:

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that upon the annexed affidavit of Mitchell J. Baker, sworn to August 8, 2007, the annexed exhibits, and all the proceedings

heretofore had herein, plaintiff Linda DiMeglio will move this Court, on the 15<sup>th</sup> day of August, 2007 at 9:30 a.m. or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard, for an Order pursuant to FRCP 55(b)(2) granting Ms. DiMeglio Judgment against the

Village of Briarcliff Manor as to liability and setting down a hearing from an

assessment of compensatory and punitive damages and for legal fees and Case 7:07-cv-03324-SCR Document 6 Filed 08/09/2007 Page 2 of 6

disbursements.

Dated: White Plains, New York

August 8, 2007

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**AFFIDAVIT** 

MITCHELL J. BAKER, being duly sworn, deposes and says:

1. I am counsel to plaintiff Linda DiMeglio, the within plaintiff.

submit this affidavit in support of the instant application for a default judgment

against the defendant the Village of Briarcliff Manor pursuant to FRCP 55(b)(2).

2. This is an action for sex discrimination under Title VII. DiMeglio, a female Police Officer with the Village of Briarcliff Manor (the

"Village") Police Department was denied certain benefits under New York State

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General Municipal Jaws 2207-c while the Village granted the same to a man under strikingly similar circumstances. (A copy of the Complaint, filed April 26, 2006,

is annexed hereto as Exhibit "A").

3. The Summons and Complaint was personally served upon the Village Clerk of the Village on April 26, 2007. (A copy of the Affidavit of Service of Mitchell J. Baker, sworn to April 27, 2007, is annexed hereto as Exhibit "B").

4. By letter dated May 16, 2007, the firm of Rutherford & Christie,

- LLP wrote your Honor a letter requesting permission to make a motion to dismiss pursuant to FRCP 12(b).

  5. On May 17, 2006, your Honor endorsed such letter and allowed defendant to make such a motion and directed that the parties submit a proposed
- defendant to make such a motion and directed that the parties submit a proposed briefing schedule. (A copy of the letter of Rutherford & Christie, LLP, dated May 16, 2007, endorsed by your Honor on May 17, 2007, is annexed hereto as Exhibit "C").
- 6. On June 11, 2007, I wrote a letter to Rutherford & Christie, LLP advising them of a proposed briefing schedule for the motion. (A copy of my letter to Rutherford & Christie, LLP, dated June 11, 2007, is annexed hereto as
- letter to Rutherford & Christie, LLP, dated June 11, 2007, is annexed hereto as Exhibit "D").
- 7. Having not heard from Rutherford & Christie, LLP, I again wrote them on June 25, 2007. In such letter I advised them, among other things, that

there was a conference before your Honor on July 20, 2007 (A copy of my letter Case 7:07-cv-03324-SCR Document 6 Filed 08/09/2007 Page 5 of 6 to Rutherford & Christie, LLP, dated June 25, 2007, is annexed hereto as Exhibit

8. On July 20, 2007, I appeared before your Honor at the scheduled conference. No one from Rutherford & Christie, LLP appeared at the conference.

"E").

9.Your Honor then issued an Order, dated July 20, 2007, directing that "counsel for defendant shall notice an appearance in this matter no later than August 3, 2007" and set forth a briefing schedule for the proposed motion. (A copy of the Order of this Court, dated July 20, 2007, is annexed hereto as Exhibit "F").

10. On July 20, 2007, the Court also entered a Minute Entry in the Docket Sheet stating that if "no motion filed by 8/3/07 by the deft, plaintiff will file motion as necessary." (A copy of the Docket Sheet in this matter, dated August 9, 2007, is annexed hereto as Exhibit "G").

11. I have not received any formal appearance nor have I received any motion in this matter.

respectfully request that this Court enter a Judgment granting Ms. DiMeglio a default judgment as to liability and directing that a hearing be had to assess the

12. In accordance with the Order of this Court and the Minute Entry, I

damages to which she is entitled, including compensatory and punitive damages Case 7:07-cv-03324-SCR Document 6 Filed 08/09/2007 Page 6 of 6

and for legal fees and costs.

MITCHELL J. BAKER

Sworn to before me this 8<sup>th</sup> day of August, 2007

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JOAN MARSHALL CRESAP ESQ. NOTARY PUBLIC, State of New York No. 4965905 Qualified in Westchester County Commission Expires April 30,